GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MICRO,SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:218
ANSWERED ON:09.05.2016
Registration of MSMEs
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Will the Minister of MICRO,SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the fourth All India Census of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) has revealed that the registration rate of MSMEs has shown a declining trend, if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor;

(b) whether the Government proposes to use Udyog Aadhaar for online registration of the MSMEs in the country, if so, the details thereof along with the number of MSMEs registered/filed entrepreneur memorandum during the last year, State/UT-wise;

(c) whether the Government proposes to establish an apex body for universal registration of the MSMEs in the country, if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the other measures taken/being taken by the Government to encourage and improve the registration of MSMEs in the country including making registration mandatory?

Answer

MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
(SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA)

(a)to(d): A statement is laid down on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFFERED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) IN RESPECT OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *218 FOR ANSWER ON 09-05-2016

(a): No, Madam. The registration of the working MSMEs has been increasing over a period of time. As per the 4th Census, the total number of registered MSME units was 22.48 lakhs (15.64 lakh units working and remaining ones closed or untraceable) whereas as per 3rd Census, the total number of SSI units permanently registered up to 31st March, 2001 was 22.62 lakhs (13.75 lakh units working and remaining ones closed).

(b): Yes, Madam. The Ministry on 18-09-15 has notified for online filing of Udyog Aadhaar Memorandum (UAM) at http://udyogaadhaar.gov.in by MSMEs. In order to promote ease of doing business for MSMEs, Government has simplified the registration process of MSMEs through UAM. Cumbersome process of filing Entrepreneurs Memorandum Part −II (EM-II) has been replaced with a one- page, simplified online UAM form. No fee is required for filing of UAM. UAM is filed on self-declaration basis and no documentation is required. Number of EM-II filed during 2015-16 are 2,17,854. From 18.9.2015 to 31.03.2016, 500058 units filed UAM. The State/UT-wise details are placed at Annexure-I.

(c): No, Madam.

(d): The filing of UAM is voluntary. State Government and industry associations have been urged by Government of India to expedite the pace of registration of UAM through a series of communications, interactive sessions over video-conferencing and holding Regional Conclaves. Banks and Financial Institutions have also been sensitized about acceptance of UAM at par with EM-II.